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PORTSMOUTH INSURANCE COMPANY,
Portsmouth, Va.—assets over \$50,000.

Deposited with the Treasurer of Virginia, \$150,000.

Losses equitably adjusted and promptly paidat
alls agency. Applications solicited, and immediate
titention given thereto?

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WOOD AND COAL. L'OREST PINE AT PILCHER'S-FOR-

EST PINE WOOD. W. S. PILCHER. 13 823 Main, near Ninth street. CPLINT COAL at PILCHER'S. SPLINT COAL. W. S. PILCHER, 823 east Main street.

COAL-YARD ALMOST AT YOUR DOORS, with a full supply of ANTHRACITE, all sizes, for family use, in this SPLINT, the best Lump-none better ;

SPILINT, the best Lump—none better.

COKE, all sizes;

MIDLOTHIAN and CLOVER HILL. &C.

FINE and OAK WOOD—long, block, and kindling—of the best.

I have just put down the latest and among the best PATENT SCALES in this yard for weighing my coal, and customers may rest assured tney shall have correct weight, and all coal and coke sent to them by weight alone; and I advise them not to buy by the load, for it is in direct violation of our city ordinance of March. 1876, for coal-dealers to, send out coal otherwise than by weight.

P. R. CARRINGTON,

Branch yard corner Jefferson and Broad streets. Branch yard corner Jefferson and Broad streets.

FULL STOCK OF BEST LUMP AND HAIL SPLINT new on hand, delivered to consumers at from \$4 to \$5 and \$5.25 per ton of 2.000 pounds. Best ANTHRACITE for grates, stoves, or furnaces at lowest cash prices. CLOVER HILL and MIDLOTHIAN at lowest cash prices. OAK and PINE WOOD at Nineteenth and Cary streets.

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Celebrated LORBERRY ANTHRACITE COAL, which makes the cleanest and brightest of fires, at the low price of \$7 per ton, delivered: 1,500 tons first-quality EGG. STOVE, and NUT ANTHRA-CITE COAL, for Latrobes, ranges and stoves, at lowest market rates.

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Seventeenth street, at draw-bridge.

CLOVER HILL COAL delivered direct to consumers.

Office and yard, corner Seventh and Byrd streets T. C. JONES.

Commercial Agent. IN ENTERING THE NEW YEAR MY

IN ENTERING THE NEW LEAR MI kind patrons are sincerely thanked for their gen-erous patronage, and assured that continued effort will be made to furnish them at the lowest prices with the best ANTHRACITE COAL—all sizes; EAST VIRGINIA BITUMINOUS, and SPLINT COAL; all kinds of COOKING COKE; and my un-rivalled KINDLING, COOKING, and CORD WOOD, at Ninth and Cary streets and Basin bank ja 1 J. B. WATKINS. ANTHRACITE COAL-the best-all sizes;

SPLINT COAL—none better;

SOFT COKE of the best quality;

PINE and OAK WOOD—original growth.

the lowest market price. All coal at wholesale
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A COAL. Ben Franklin Red - Ash Coal of all sizes; Reliance and Enterprise White Ash, Egg, and stove; West Virginia Splint for grates; Clover Hill Lump; Cumberland for steam and smiths' use. Carbon Hill SOFT COKE, OAK and PINE WOOD. WIRT ROBERTS, corner Seventeenth and Cary streets

CROCKERY. GLASSWARE, &c. NEW GOODS!

AND TOILET-WARE, equal in appearance to the best French china, at half

the cost. Also, a full line of DECORATED, GOLD-BAND, and WHITE CHINA DINNER- and TEA-WARE, E. B. TAYLOR. at popular prices. No. 1011 Main street.

CHINA AND PLATED-WARE. UVASES, new styles—cameo decorations; CO-LOGNE SETS of the late Vienna and Centennial designs; CHINA DINNER- and TEA-SETS. French and English direct importation; CHAMBER SETS, great variety; PLATED-WARE-Pickle-Stands, Tea-Sets, Card-Receivers-all new patterns; PAR-Tea-Sets, Card-Receivers—all new patterns; PARLOR COAL VASES handsomely decorated; BRONZES—French and Japanese finish. Call and see styles and prices before purchasing. No trouble to show goods.

GEORGE GIBSON, JR.,

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DERFUME-BOXES, TOILET POW-I DERS, elegant COLOGNES, Babbitt's PURE SOAP for infants, CUT-GLASS PUNGENTS, TOILET SOAPS, COMBINATION SHAVING-CUPS, Also, PURE FLAVORING EXTRACTS, SPICES, GELATINE, &c. L. WAGNER, Druggist, Sixth and Broad streets. Sixth and Broad streets.

FURNITURE

FURNITURE AT REDUCED PRICES.—Intending to vacate in a few weeks the premises at present occupied by me, PARLOR, CHAMBER, AND DINING-ROOM FURNITURE

will be offered to the public for a short time at greatly The stock of CHAMBER FURNITURE (both Walnut and Poplar) is large and varied, and will be sold in suits, or the articles singly, as desired. Bargains can be had by calling early at my ware-rooms, corner of Thirteenth (or Governor) and ja 15-tFe3 G. F. WATSON,

GREATER INDUCEMENTS THAN GREATER INDUCEMENTS THAN

EVER IN FURNITURE.—Having removed to No. 305, three doors above my old stand, I have fitted up four floors, covering eighty feet in depth, and filled them with a very superior stock of Furniture, which I am determined to sell at a small advance on cost. My stock consists of all the latest styles for chamber, parlor, and diningroom; Wardrobes, Tables, Lounges, Sofas, Woodaud Cane-Chairs, Cribs, Cradles, Trundle Bedsteads, Mattresses, Feather Leds, Pillows, Belsters, &c., &c. Upholstering and repairing. Terms liberal.

J. D. GATEWOOD, 305 Broad street, between Third and Fourth streets.

RTHUR ROONEY, A FURNITURE AND MATTRESS MANUFACTURER,
BICHMOND, VIRGINIA. Call to see new stock and reduced prices. Warerooms, Governor and Franklin streets.

Price-list furnished on application. ja 1-M4t* NEW AND ELEGANT DESIGNS AT HABLETON & BROTHER'S.

Extraordinary inducements offered to all in wan

COMMISSION MERCHANTS. W. A. SUBLETT, COMMISSION MERCHANT,

No. 1015 Basin bank,
offers his services for the SALE OF ALL COUNTRY PRODUCE, and in connection with his business will have four boats out and four in per week, carrying freight and passengers.

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CLOTHING.

JOHN LATOUCHE, NO. 4 TENTH STREET. Just received, a choice assortment of FOREIGN

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RICHMOND, VA., MONDAY MORNING, JANUARY 15, 1877.

Reported Departure of a Happy Couple

on a Wedding Trip to Europe:

Richmond Dispatch.

MONDAYJANUARY 15, 1877. IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCULATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS-PAPERS OF THE CITY

WEATHER REPORT. INDICATIONS FOR SUNDAY .- Washington,

January 13 .- For the South Atlantic and East Gulf States, rising followed by falling barometer, partly cloudy weather, occasional rains, and colder northwesterly winds, backing to westerly, will prevail. For the West Gulf States, lower barome ter, northerly winds, warmer southerly and generally clear weather.

ollowed by rising barometer, southerly winds, veering to westerly or northwest; generally warmer, partly cloudy weather, and possibly followed by rain areas. For the Middle States, falling barometer,

cloudiness, decided rise in temperature, possibly occasional snow or rain in the northern portion, succeeded by rising barometer and northwesterly winds. Cautionary signals continue for the Middle Atlantic and New England coasts.

THE WEATHER ON SATURDAY Was cloudy, aw, and disagreeable. THERMOMETER SATURDAY: 6 A. M., 46: A. M., 49; noon, 46; 3 P. M., 48; 6 P.

[For the Dispatch.] The Suit against the James River and Kanawha Company.

In a communication to the Dispatch, pub-

"Is it any wonder that under such financial management suit has been brought by bondholders, unable to get interest, to enjoin the canal from alienating to this substituted railroad" [the Buchanan and Clifton Forge] "any portion of its line, other itt to making the call were the subject of property, or credit-such as it is-already pledged and forfeited to their debt; and to have the canal declared bankrupt and a receiver appointed."

I find the following reported : "Mr. Daniel presented a letter from the president of the James River and Kanawha Company, in which that gentleman denies the fact, as stated in the annual official report of the Attorney-General, that a receiver had been appointed for this company in the suit of Spiller et als vs. The James River and Kanowha Canal Company. Mr. Carrington further says no such motion has ever been made" (italies mine). On the issue thus distinctly joined, I asserting and the president denying that a receivership has been asked, I vouch the record of the Circuit

of the foregoing facts and premises they are his own county. The Republican nominaentitled to ask, and they hereby pray, the tion will be given to Frelinghuysen or Halaid and interposition of this court to take sey .- Washington Union. the property of the said James River and Kanawha Company and the administration of its affairs and business under the control and management of this court, and to have in committee. The Democrats are said a receiver appointed by this court" (italics mine), "who shall manage and administer being reported, reserving the right to opthe affairs and business of said company under the directions of this court"; * * * "and that this court shall restrain and enjoin the said company from alienating or some that it will, as money enough will be

in any manner transferring any part of its forthcoming to secure the desired acproperty or franchises to the Buchanan and | tion .- 1b. Clifton Forge Railway Company, or from subscribing to the stock of the said railway company," &c., &c. [See printed bill in Spiller et als vs. James River and Kanawha Company, pp. 10, 11.] Now, I have no doubt the president was

a president is it who, within three months property to an enterprise whose solvency was in serious question, or lend or sell it law? Look before you leap.

P. S. Since the above has gone into type have learned that Mr. Carrington, in saying there had been no motion to appoint a receiver in the the suit against his company, meant simply that no steps had been taken in addition to the bill by the plaintiff's praying for a receiver. So far it gives me pleasure to beg his pardon. But, perhaps because I am not a lawyer, I do not see how the fact betters his case at law or before the Legislature. Whilst a suit is pending to put his company in bankruptcy he pledges his assets for another loan, and virtually

Gentlemen,—In your report of the pro-ceedings of the Senate yesterday an error the approval of the President, the has crept in which, I respectfully suggest, should be corrected.

Under the head of "State Bonds," among other things it is said "the amount of coupons remaining unsold is \$1,279,800, which it is thought advisable to withdraw from the market," &c.; when, in fact, the amount is \$12,798.

Please correct in next issue. Very respectfully yours,

J. L. SHACKELFORD, Secretary of the Board of the Sinking Fund.

Our Blessed Government.

EXCITEMENT AMONG THE TOBACCONISTS. ing that it would not amount to more than \$100,000. We called upon several of the manufacturers this evening, and gleaned

quired to return the amount of leaf tobacco purchased at the warehouse to the revenue officer in this city every thirty days, the Government allowing the manufacturer ten per cent. for loss in removing it, etc. It is said the manufacturers paid the requisite tax, less ten per cent. for loss, which will barely cover it, and the commissioner claims that only five per cent. should have been

Like a clap of thunder in a cloudless sky, the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated to sky, the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. Such reports usual-the intelligence was communicated yester-day to the manufacturers that they had not state on a war-footing. produced enough manufactured tobacco ly originate from expressions of excited America was that on Boston Common-un- Dealers will be glad to see in another colfrom the leaf bought, and hence there was a deficiency, which must be paid by the 20th instant. This deficiency falls upon every manufacturer according to the extent of his business. The manufacturers are greatly exercised about the matter, and it is thought a meeting of the Tobacco Association will be great and the consider consider the consider the consider consider the consider the late lamented big elm—in 1728, when young Woodoridge killed young When young Woodoridge killed young Phillips with his sword, to the great and painful scandal and excitement of the consider certain grievances of which they complain. a meeting of the Tobacco Association will partment of the Peruvian hydrographical eral Washington approved of General they complain.

be called in a few days to take steps in the commission, under command of Admiral Greene's decision to accept a challenge, it

DEMOCRATIC TACTICS. to Boston Advertiser.

The pleasure of your company is requested at dinner to-morrow evening, at Welker's, to meet Professor Seelye and other distinguished gentlemen. The dishes will be uncovered by the steward precisely at 7 o'clock, and the dinner will then be eaten. And had said to him :

The Boston Advertiser, which is good authority as to Professor Seelye's views, says : "Professor Scelye says, repecting this narrative, that the Herald correspondent got as near the truth as the boy who told his father that he came near selling the pig, and who, being told to explain, said he had asked a man if he didn't want to buy the pig,

however, that he argues that the question is outside the field of the committee's in-

Washington Republican, 13th.] once. He also expressed it as his opinion that if Hewitt had not stamina to make the call that some one should be put in his

COMING SENATORS. Gunton, says it is conceded that Judge New Jersey. His only competitor is J. R. McPherson, whose strength lies mainly in

place who would dare to do it.

THE TEXAS-PACIFIC BILL,

it appears, was not adopted unanimously have voted against it, and one agreed to its pose it on the floor. A-caucus of the House gives assurance that the measure cannot pass, though it is confidently predicted by

[What sort of southern men oppose it?] HEWITT AND TILDEN.

him about calling a National Democratic struck the ice not more than ten sec-Convention in this city on the 14th of Feb- onds could have elapsed, and yet during ruary. Hewitt said to-day that rather than one drop of blood should be shed he was in arm around his wife, she grasped the seat favor of Hayes and peace. - Special to Bal- and asked what had happened, and he told timore American.

Message from the President.

RIVER AND HARBOR IMPROVEMENT-WHY THE WHOLE AMOUNT APPROPRIATED BY CON-

GRESS WAS NOT EXPENDED. WASHINGTON, D. C., January 12 .- The President to-day sent a message to the House of Representatives in reply to a resolution respecting the expenditures of certain moneys appropriated last session in the river and harbor bill, and enclosing a report from the Secretary of War on the subject. The Secretary says the act was signed on the President sent a special message to the House stating that he did not consider it obligatory upon him to exclearly national, and that owing to a contemplated loss of revenue it might be inadvisable to expend any money upon new works. The principles enunciated in this message have governed the Secretary's action on this subject in every case presented | car and the flames began to eat away at the to bim. Immediately after receiving the bill the Chief Engineer was directed to ask for statements from the engineers in charge of the works as to what works could be postponed for the present, and the replies from them recommended the expenditure of about \$4,500,000 of the appropriation. This reduction was so slight as practically to amount to nothing, and therefore, on the 4th of September, having obtained Secretary directed the Chief of Engineers, whose knowledge of this subject is more the Government, to make statements from the sums appropriated for the various works, according to the best of his judgment, and in such manner that the total amount should not exceed two million of dollars; only providing that no new works released himself. When they left the car should be begun, and none continued that were not national in their character. In making these allotments it was found that the amount designated (\$2,000,000) was not quite sufficient for the purpose of carrying extended interview with the President, was orders, but she had a plan of her own... authorized in October to increase the acted upon, and possibly there may be more while I was being burned up, help would of them. The Secretary suggests that the come to him for our children's sake." President had authority for his action under the law, and the authority found in the enough to break my leg," added the hus-river and harbor bill itself. The bill was in band, "and then it would be all up with pend the full amount of the appropriation—then, rather than be burned alive, I was nearly five millions. The exercise of his discretion was influenced by the condition in my right-hand pocket, and my right arm propriations for other public works of quite

The Herald has a Harrisburg dispatch to the tween two serving-men, who were therefor effect that the Republicans of the Pennsyl- sentenced by the stern and prompt moral-

CHINCHILLAS. SUITING.

and DROUSERINGS.

Still making numbers of those good, subscantial Cassimere Suits—well made and well trimmed—for Cassimere Suits—well made and well trimmed—for no 17

To take steps in the command of Admiral Greene's decision to accept a challenge, if John R. Tucker, formerly of the United the latter thought his honor would suffer committee to confer with the Commissioner of the latter thought his honor would suffer from a refusal."

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Committee to confer with the Commissioner of Internal Bevenue at Washington. It is solourning in Baltimore, the guest of Captany.—The officers and stockholders of the Mechanics' Building Company, just setting Joseph Von Holt Nash.—Bakimore in the Danville district.

To take steps in the premises, and, if necessary, to appoint a committee to confer with the Commissioner of the latter thought his honor would suffer from a refusal."

Company.—The officers and stockholders of the Mechanics' Building Company, just setting Joseph Von Holt Nash.—Bakimore in the Danville district.

States navy and Confederate States navy, is solourning in Baltimore, the guest of Captany.—The officers and stockholders of the Mechanics' Building Company, just setting Joseph Von Holt Nash.—Bakimore in the Danville district.

LOCAL MATTERS.

It is reported, with every appearance of FEATURES OF THE AUDITOR'S REPORTtruth, that Mr. James Gordon Bennett and HOW THE BURDEN OF TAXATION IS DISTRI-SUTED .- From the report of the Auditor of nesday and sailed for Europe in the steam-Public Accounts, just made to the General Assembly, it appears that the following There was a rumor yesterday that Mr. sums are assessed upon the cities for taxes Bennett and Miss May had been married, upon licenses :

It is learned from that city that a gentleman anuton. /illiamsburg. Total in the cities Of the amount contributed by cities Rich-

McNamee, charged with shooting W. W. whole State. In Buchanan county, according to the tax-lists, there is no lawyer, no doctor, no sent on to the grand jury for indictment. dentist, no piano, but two sewing-machines, Committed without bail. worth thirty dollars, and only five dollars lished in a morning paper asserting that worth of musical instruments, and but fifstriking John Green with a slung-shot, was James Gordon Bennett departed on a bridal teen watches, worth \$109. There are no trip to Europe on the steamer Illinois yes- lawyers in Frederick (not including continued until the 16th. Bail in \$500 alterday proves its entire falsity from begin- Winchester) and Warren counties. Richning to end. A member of the firm of mond returns 2,025 watches worth \$91,065, Peter Wright & Sons, the agents of the 1,639 clocks worth \$8,463, 1,052 sewing-magan of \$100, was continued till the 17th. American line of steamer from this port to chines worth \$31,000, and musical instru-

The following shows the assessed value of

and who is perfectly qualified to know the

Total in counties \$58,165,267 08 \$184,455,654 75 Total in cities... 16,789,036 92 58,300,894 00 Grand total....\$74,954,304 00 242,756,548 75 The number of polls listed in the State is 239,755; in cities, 34,111; in Richmond,

RECAPITULATION, White capitation tax...\$168,778 00 Colored capitation tax. 104,947 00 Tofal capitation tax

ty...... 410,837 88 1,213,782 74 579,368 69 Total tax on personal property

nittee on Public Grounds and Buildings have appointed a sub-committee to examine into the cost of paving with brick or macadamizing the walks of the Capitol Square. About the same thing has been done nearly very year since the war. Meanwhile the walks remain in a miserable condition, though they might easily be improved by convict labor.

to the Legislature a few days ago for an increase of pay. A bill was reported from the committee Saturday allowing each guard, in husband was trying to read a newspaper by addition to his regular pay, which is only \$45 per month, an overcoat not to exceed \$15 in value, the same to be made at that institution.

> two finance committees in joint session today. The chief opposition to it will come from the towns and small cities of the State.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 13, 1877.—Lots fronting 148 feet on St. Paul street corner day, when it is to be hoped the difficulty Charity, 35 feet on Duval street, 32 feet on will be settled and the men set to work Jackson street, for \$3,401; 304 feet on Grace again. feet on Twenty-eighth street between M and N for \$165; 262 feet on Marshall street. corner Gilmer; 30 feet on Marshall street between First and Adams for \$2,000; 60 feet on Main street, corner Nineteenth, for \$1; 26 feet on Main street near Fourth for \$9,500; 10 feet on Third street, corner Preston, for \$600; 32 feet on Thirtieth street between M and N for \$300; 30 feet on Pine street for \$150; Lots 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 70, 71, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80 (plan of Oregon Hill), for \$2,100; 32 feet on Broad street between Tenth and Eleventh; 2 acres on Marshall, Clay, Thirty-second, and Thirtythird streets for \$4,000; 30 feet on Grac sengers were shricking in pain and fright street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth for \$675; 31 feet on Sixth street, corner Baker, for \$400.

ROLL OF HONOR AT THE RICHMOND HIGH-SCHOOL .- The following is a list of the pupils on the roll of honor at the Richmond High-School during the past week: Senior Class-Ida C. Cox, Loulie Minetree, Fannie Stagg. Intermediate Class-Sallie Cosby, Carrie Drew, Alice Ezekiel, Ida Hutzler, Mamie A. Lyon, Mary Nowlin, Blanche A feet away, and the smoke and heat were Turner, Rachel Van Vort, Florrie Wilkinson. Junior Class-Augusta Anderson, Constance Cabell, Imogen Cottrell, Fannie Cox, Dicie Denoon, Bertha Dickinson, Mary Koslow, Maggie Mitchell, Zaidee Morton, Jennie Whittett, Louisa Wyatt, Charles Bailey, Morris Hutzler, Marshall E. Ramos. Attendance for the week, 98 per cent.

insuccessful effort Friday night to enter the dollar-store, on Broad street near Fifth, by cutting through a rear window. An iron par impeded their progress and frustrated heir designs.

UNITED SETATES INTERNAL REVENUE COL-ECTIONS .- The following were the collections for the week ending Saturday: Monday, \$6,584.79; Tuesday, \$4,492.68; Wed nesday, \$6,500.56; Thursday, \$6,662.12 Friday, \$7,198.26; Saturday, \$10,279.65 Total, \$36,055.94. YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION .--

public meeting will be held in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association tonight, at which addresses will be delivered by Messrs. George A. Hall and Thomas K. Cree, of New York. These gentlemen are well known as successful Association workers in the South, under the auspices of the National Executive Committee.

cars made their appearance on the streets again on Saturday, after being idle an inexcusably long period. The horses and men have now had a good, long rest, and if we have another deep snow they will probubly clear the track and keep the cars running. KEROSENE OIL .- During the late ice-

Andrews, Ordway & Green u auditor, &c. Fully argued by F. ... Christian, Esq., and the Attorney-General, and submitted. vs. Lynham.

Alexandria 25.26 Alexandria 15.368 Fredericksburg 7,744 Lynchburg 26.661 Manchester 4.248 Norfolk 44.587 Petersburg 27,083 Portsmouth 12.031 etersburg. 27,088
Portsmouth. 12,031
Lichmond. 128,583 .. \$303.845 75

mond pays over forty-two per cent., and she pays one-fifth of the aggregate for the

Liverpool, to which the Hilmois belongs, ments worth \$70,133.

1,731,955 00 27,197,754 00 1,746,245 00 180,864 00 1,256,404 00

\$ 273,725 00

LEGISLATIVE LABORS .- The House Com-

The guard at the penitentiary petitioned

The whiskey tax bill be considered by the

OLD CITIZEN DEAD .- Mr. Alexander Grant, Sr., died Saturday; aged seventytwo years. He was one of the oldest Odd-Fellows in the city, having been a member of the Order for over forty years. At the time of his death Mr. Grant was a member of Jefferson Lodge and Neilson Encampment, and will be buried by them. He was struck with paralysis six years ago, since which time he has been in ill-health. His funeral will take place from Grace-Street | was to be discharged. Baptist church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

THE "GRANITE" STONE-CUTTERS will hold recommend its use for medicinal and family purameeting to-night in the First Market Hall poses.—J. B. McCaw, M. D., late Professor a meeting to-night in the First Market Hall to consider certain grievances of which

THE DISPATCH

TERMS OF ADVERTISING One square, one insertion......

ditious manner.

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JAY.-

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS, SA

The first case Tuesday will be Haunstein

CHANCERY COURT OF RICHMOND, SATURDAY.

Decrees were entered in the following cases:

McDowell vs. Exall, &c.; Gunn, &c., vs.

McDowell; Grant's guardian vs. Grant;

Hazlehurst vs. Powhatan Steamboat Com-

pany; Edmond, Davenport & Co. vs. Wick-

ham; Lee vs. Turner; Hyde vs. O'Keefe;

Richardson, trustee, vs. Kent, Paine & Co.

Farley, &c., vs. Crump; McRyan vs. Rich-mond and Danville Railroad Company; S.

P. Mitchell's executor vs. Mitchell; Jarvis

POLICE COURT, SATURDAY-Police-Jus-

tice Joseph J. White presiding .- Thomas

Vaughn. Accused, through his counsel, E.

C. Cabell, waived examination, and was

The case of Ely Wilson, charged with

The case of Henry Mead and George

Wells, charged with robbing Patrick Fa-

David Holloran, aged eight years, charged

with stealing \$10 from Mary Gleason, was

Julia Ann Dudley (colored) was commit-

ted for thirty days in default of security to

grant) was committed for six months;

Susan Layne, Angelina Weeden, Robert

Weeden, and Mary Brown (colored) were

case was continued till Tuesday for exami-

HENRICO CIRCUIT COURT .- The Henrico

Circuit Court will meet to-day. No crimi-

TROOPS EN ROUTE TO WASHINGTON .- A

considerable number of United States troops

from South Carolina passed through this

city Friday night on their way to Washing-

LECTURE THIS EVENING .- Professor Mof-

fat, of Tennessee, will deliver his lecture

on Social Influences at the Leigh-Street

Baptist church at half-past 7 o'clock this

nal business will be disposed of.

vs. Robinson, &c.; Robinson's executor vs.

Robinson.

acquitted.

chain-gang.

nation.

evening.

TRUNKS, VALISES, BAGS, &c., at GRIGG'S, Tenth and Main.

OF WORK at moderate figures and in the most expe

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

AT On all sales of Real Estate made between the 1st of January and last of June the taxes for the present year haveto be paid by the purchaser On all sales made between the 1st of July and last of the year the taxes have to be paid by the willes [This custom was adopted about lifteen yearsage by all the real estate agents in Richmond, and ap-plies to Richmond and vicinity.]

THOMAS L. WHITING, High-Constable, 34 P. M., two tenements Nos. 1318 and 1320 Franklin

J. D. WHITEHEAD, 10 A. M., groceries, etc. HILL & ANDERSON, 12 M., groceries, &c. FRANK D. HILL. 12 M., administrator's sale of the household furniture of the late Charles M. Pleasants, corner of Broad and Tonth streets.

ALLCOCK'S POROUS-PLASTERS.

Ask for ALLCOCK'S, and obtain them, and

weld miserable imitations. B. BRANDRETH, President,

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be of good behavior. Abram Clarke (va-WANTED, A WHITE WOMAN TO COOK and WASH. None need apply except they are willing to work. Best references required. Apply at No. 315 Broad street. charged with stealing a gold bracelet and other articles of jewelry of the value of

WANTED, for applicants, THREE GRIST-MILLS-(1) first-class, for northern

ompany;
(2) SMALL FARMS convenient to city;
(2) SMALL HOUSES in city;
(2sh is offered. GEORGE E. CRAWFORD, in 13-1w 1005 Bank street.

ja 13-8,M,W,S4t* WANTED.-TWO YOUNG LADIES

HIDES WANTED—DRY, GREEN, and SALTED. Also, SHEEPSKINS and TALLOW; for which the highest cash prices will be paid by O. H. CHALKLEY & CO., ACQUITTAL OF PAUL JASPER. - In the Hustings Court, on Saturday, Paul Jasper, charged with the murder of Margaret Shel-Leather-Dealers, Thirteenth street. ton, was tried and acquitted.

ANNIVERSARY BALL .- The Catholic Total Abstinence and Beneficial Society will give their second grand annual ball at Levy Hall on the 12th of February next.

MANCHESTER NEWS.

Manchester has been dull almost beyond for the past The mask ball on Friday night enlivened things for the time being, but Saturday morning's sun arose just as it had done for weeks before: over a city filled with willing but disabled people. Sich is life.

Mary V. Edwards, William Short, William Wood, William Randolph, Richard Goode, A. Cunningham. Discharged .- There were fifty stone-cutters discharged at the Old Dominion Granite Works on Thursday, and on Saturday there were about the same number put off.

Colored High-School-Roll of Honor .-

The following is the roll of honor in the Colored High-School for the past week:

discharge was made under the recent order that as soon as a man finished his stone he From what we can learn there is some difficulty between the contractors and the Government agents in regard to the reduc-CONVEYANCES OF REAL ESTATE FOR THE tion of the cutters' pay. Mr. Bardsley, the president of the company, will be here to-

> HOME-MADE VIRGINIA PICKLES at \$1.50 per gallon. Only a small quantity left. Send and ge

some from PIZZINI, 807 Broad street. HARD TIMES .- C. R. REES has just introduced the new bromide-of-silver process, whereby freckles and wrinkles don't show. Price reduced to \$1 for the large size, and four card-size for \$1. Life-size from \$10 to \$40, including frame. Main street be-

tween Eighth and Ninth, over Southern Expres FOR CHEAP BLANKETS go to L. STERN & Co. FOR BARGAINS in Dress-Goods go to L. STERN

STERN & CO.'s.

BLEACHED and Brown Cottons retailed at case prices at L. STERN & Co.'s. L. STERN & Co. have a few more of those cheap auction blankets. If you want a bargain give them

a call.

FOR BARGAINS in Dry Goods go to L. STERN & Co.'s. They have a well-assorted stock, and sell cheap. LIGHT-SHADE KIDS at 45c. a pair at L. STERN & Co.'s.

REMNANTS of Bleached Cottons at L. STERN L. STERN & Co. are selling eight-dollar blankets for \$4.37%. _

For \$2.50 you can get a splendid full-size blanket at L. STERN & Co's. BLACK ALPACAS cheaper than ever at L. STERN

BARGAINS in Shawls and Boulevard Skirts at L. TERN & CO.'S. PURE CREAM-frozen and liquid-in any quantity, for the sick, at PIZZINI'S, 807 Broad street.

Received daily at 6½ A. M. A FULL LINE OF GENTLEMEN'S BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS at GRIGG'S, Tenth and Main.

CONGRESS GAITERS at GRIGG'S, Tenth and Main.

OT D. LADIES' LOW-HERL, BROAD, HAND-SEWED

PROFESIOR JAMES A. SEWELL, of Medical Faculty Laval University, Quebec, states: "I have found COLDEN'S LIEBIG'S LIQUID EXTRACT OF BEEF AND TONIC-INVIGORATOR particularly useful in advanced stages of consumption, weakness, dyspepsia, and all nervous afflictions. In pregnant women it has been retained while every other article of food was rejected. I can recommend it as convenient, palatable, and easy of digestion."

DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE. Good work, low prices, and satisfaction guaranteed. FINE FRENCH PRUNES, for cating and cooking.

at Pizzini's, 807 Broad street. MISSES' SCHOOL-SHORS at GRIGG'S, Tenth and

I have analyzed the WHISKEY known under the brand of "B SELECT," controlled by Messrs. WAL-

Chemistry, Medical College of Virginia. DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE.—In order to meet the constantly increasing demands of our trade we have added a well-eclected assortment of NEW

POROUS PLASTERS.

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WANTS.

WANTED, TO LEND \$250, \$500, \$800, \$1,000, \$1,800, \$3,000, \$2,500, \$4,000, \$6,000, on city-improved, unincumbered real estate.

J. THOMPSON BROWN.

Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer,

1113 Main street, opposite Dispatch office.

WANTED, TO SELL TWENTY-FIVE
BARRBLS RED APPLES, FIFTY BUSHELS
IRISH POTATOES, also BUTTER, LAPD, and
HONEY; all of which will be sold cheap to make
quick sales. W.R. POLK, 1013 Cary street
ja 15-21* between Tenth and Eleventh streets. \$150, the property of S. Butterfield. The

WANTED, to purchase a FIVE- or SIX-ROOM HOUSE on Church Hill on the Instal-ment plan. Address, giving particulars and terms, "S.," care of Post-office Carrier 11.

desire BOARD in a respectable bearding-house or private family. Board paid promptly, but must be low. References exchanged. Address, with full name and price, BOARDER, care of Carrier No. 3. ja 12-3t

FOR RENT. FOR RENT, THAT DESIRABLE
Main street, between Thirte-nth and Fourteenth
streets, formerly occupied by Messrs. Marcus Harris
& Brother. This store was occupied by the former
occupants for five years as a wholesale shoestore.
It is admirably adapted either for a wholesale or retail business. There is a large basement that can be
used to great advantage. Rent greatly reduced.
ja 15-5t
ROBERT B. LYNE.

FOR RENT, NICE DETACHED street, near Madison; seven rooms; detached kitchen, and all conveniences, and has been recently put DESIRABLE BRICK DWELLING, on Ninth bens; gas, water, and other conveniences.

BRICK HOUSE No. 509 Leigh street, between Fifth and Sixth streets; seven rooms; detached kitchen; gas, water, &c. Rent only \$300 per an-BRICK TENEMENT No. 414 west Franklin, near Henry street; twelve rooms; gas, water, La-trobe stove, range, and every convenience. Rent ex-NICE FRAME DWELLING No. 917 west Main street; six rooms; gas, water, and usual conveni-ences. Rent only \$300 per annum. ja 15-3t ROBERT B. LYNE.

FOR RENT, FOUR ROOMS ON parlor floor, with kitchen and all conventences for housekeeping, at No. 4 Fifth street, between Main and cary. ja 15-2w This FOR RENT, BRICK DWELLING and Clay—nine rooms, besides kitchen with four rooms. Price, \$450.

EDWARD C. GODDIN, Real Fatate Agent.
ja 15-2t

No. 1015 Main street.

FOR RENT, those three desirable slde of Franklin between Third and Fourth streets. Come get the keys and look at them. They must be rented.

J. L. APPERSON, Ja 15-10t Real Estate Agent.

FOR RENT, two very desirable strock-BRICK-FRONT HOUSES, on Reservoir street, containing seven rooms each. City water in the houses. Rent very low. Apply to CHAFFIN, STAPLES & CO., ja 9-1w Tenth and Main streets. By Brouaugh & Taylor,

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers. office opposite court-house, Manchester, Va. OR RENT, A DESIRABLE LITTLE FARM ABOUT TWO MILES FROM MAN-CHESTER.—As receiver appointed by the Circuit Court of Chesterfield county, in a decree in the chan-cery cause of Wise, trustee, vs. Perpignon, I shall rent at public auction, in front of the Hustings Court of the city of Manchester, on THURSDAY, January 18, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the above-mentioned property. This property is very desira-ble, and in a good state of cultivation.

TERMS: Made known at auction.

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OLD SPECTACLES—LOST
A FEW DAYS SINCE.—The youth
o found them will please leave them at this office, or at 205 Governor street, and get a reward T OST, on Friday evening, somewhere be-I tween Sixth street and Brook avenue, on Broad street, a PURSE containing between FIFTEEN and TWENTY DOLLARS in currency, and some valuable papers. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to No. 322 south Third street.

TAKEN UP, ON DR. DEAN'S COME FALO COW, with bell on. ja 15-1t* STRAYED OFF ON THE 220 OF COMMISSION OF THE 220 OF

obtained will be suitably rewarded.
ja 13-21*
W. N. GARDNER. FINANCIAL.

Real Estate Agent,

MONEY TO LEND. TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS on good dry real estate at moderate rate of interest. EDWARD C. GODDIN,

No. 1015 Main street. ja 15-1t MONEY TO LEND,

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in sums of
ONE HUNDRED TO FIVE THOUSAND
DOLLARS,
on unincumbered Richmond city real estate.
Rates and charges reasonable.
CHAFFIN, STAPLES & CO.
Tenth and Main streets. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. - Hav-

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

A ing qualified as administrator of Charles M.
Pleasants, deceased, all parties having bills against
his estate are requested to present them to me, and
all parties indebted are requested to make payment
to me, at my office, 1108 Main street.

RRBERT H. GULLIAM,
Administrator of C. M. Pleasants, deceased. A DMINISTRATORS' NOTICE. - The

A undersigned, CHARLES CLINELEY and B. F. Howard, hereby give notice that they have qualified as administrators of the estate of E. J. Krebs, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate will please present them properly authenticated, and those who are indebted to the estate will call und again their accounts as one. call and settle their accounts at once.

CHARLES CLINELY,
R. F. HOWARD.

RICHMOND, January S. 1877. is 3-2awsws

DIVIDENDS. CITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. RICHMOND, VA., January 5, 1877. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this company have declared a semi-sahual DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT, free of all taxes, payable to the stockholders on and after MONDAY the 15th instant.

Ja 8-10t

E. R. MEADE, Secretary.

TYPE, which, together with our impreved MA CHIMERY and SKILFUL MECHANICAL TALENT

BOOK AND JOB WORK NEATLY EXwarrant us in guaranteeing the VERY BRST CLASS

For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, falling

increasing southerly to westerly winds and

M., 44; midnight 20:

lished in Monday's issue, the following paragraph appears:

In last Wednesday's Senate proceedings

perfectly sincere when he contradicted this plain record. But this is plain: Either he had no copy of the bill filed in said suit over three months ago; or, having a copy, he failed to read it. Under either alternative I propound these questions: What sort of from the inception of a suit which would deprive his stockholders of all their property and franchises, does not know the vital demands of that suit? And what propriety is there in a Legislature's appropriating State property to the benefit of whoever may win in a law-suit? What private PARISIAN PORCELAINE DINNER-, TEA-, individual would give his own money or

> on the pledge of assets already twice covered by mortgages, alleging bankruptcy and endeavoring to establish it by proceedings at the 14th of August, and on the same day

asks the State to foot the bill.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, 7 SECOND AUDITOR'S OFFICE. RICHMOND, VA., January 13, 1877. Editors of Dispatch:

[From the Lynchburg Star, 12th.] Rumor was rife on the streets to-day that the United States Internal Revenue Department at Washington, of which Captain J. H. Rives is collector in this city, had made an erroneous assessment against the tobacco manufacturers of Lynchburg and others of this district for the year 1874. Reports seem conflicting, some parties saying the tobacconists would lose over \$500,000, others contend-

the following facts: It seems that every manufacturer is reallowed for waste.

FROM WASHINGTON.

There is talk on the Democratic side of the House of adding three members to the Miss Caroline May were married on Wed-Joint Committee on the Rights, Duties, and Privileges of the House in counting the ship Illinois .- New York Graphic, 12th. electoral vote. The reason assigned for the proposed increase is additional duty imosed on the committee by the resolution of and sailed for Europe from Philadelphia. Monday, but it is suspected it is really a precaution against the apprehended defection whose appearance was like that of Mr. Ben-

GOOD NEWS. Knott had said to Professor Seelye that he had received the following invitation:

"Now, what I want you to interpret for me, Professor-who is to eat the dinnerthe steward, or you and I and the rest of the

and the man said no. There is reason to say further, that Professor Seelye has taken facts in the case, states that he was upon property in cities in 1876: the position, in committee, square against the right of the president of the Senate to count the electoral vote. It is understood,

quiry." ONE OF THE ORGAN'S STORIES.

There was quite a violent scene about the matter yesterday between Thompson, Hew- member of the British Centennial Commiswas charged with lack of nerve and a desire startled if he knew that he had been taken itt, and Randolph Tucker, in which Hewitt to betray his party. The objections of Hewvery interesting, and in some instances extremely heated, discussions among the Democrats last night, and their condemnation of what they term Hewitt's pusillanimous conduct was very severe. General Gordon expressed himself very strongly had received a scratch, and that the extent about the affair, and intimated that if the of the meeting was a single exchange of courage of the Democrats weakened at this juncture that all hopes of getting Tilden inaugurated might as well be abandoned at

A special to the New York World, from Ashbel Green will be the next senator from

Mr. Hewitt left for New York to-night, it s believed, to convey the proposition to of their car settled down first. From the Governor Tilden, and also to consult with time the bridge gave way till the cars

no way mandatory on the President to ex- me. I was going to have her get out, and of the Treasury and the nature of the apas much importance as the river and harbor The New York Times prints a story from Cincinnati to the effect that "Blue Jeans" is affair of honor in American annals is one putting the Indiana militia on a war-footing. that took place in 1621 at Plymouth be-

of a certain Democratic member. - Special nett went hastily on board the steamer Illinois just before its departure, with a lady closely veiled, and both went immediately to their state-room, avoiding all observation. Speaking of the anecdote that Proctor Mr. Bennett's name, however, did not appear on the passenger list. The grand jury have had Mr. Bennett's lawyer and Mr. Oelrichs before them, but learned nothing. Several friends of the duellists have left the city for fear of arrest. Judge Donohue reserved his decision in the case of Dr. Phelps. It is still uncertain whether or not Frederick May was badly wounded in the duel .-THE ROMANTIC STORY DENIED. PHILADELPHIA, January 12 .- A thorough investigation of the sensational story pub-

> the steamer's deck yesterday until after the gang-plank was drawn, and saw every passenger go on board. There were only about eight passengers, and none of the gentlemen resembled Mr. Bennett in the least degree. The "tall gentleman muffled in an ulster" who "dashed up to the wharf in a carriage at the last moment" was J. H. Cundall, a worthy sion, who would doubtless be somewhat

> Washington Republican. All of the New York papers have about come to concur in the statement which was distinctly made in the Sun of Wednesday, that neither of the principals to the duel shots. - Baltimore Sun, 13th.

> > An Incident of Ashtabula.

for a bloodthirsty duellist .- Special to

LOVE TRIED BY FIRE-TEN SECONDS OF DOUBT AN AGE OF AGONY. A special dispatch says: If every individual who went down with the ill-fated railroad train at Ashtabula and lived through the experience were to write up his or her sensations and adventures none would display that coolness and heroism described by Johnson B. Orburn and his wife, who were on their way to the Saginaw Valley. Both are past forty, and Mr. Orburn is an Ohio farmer who lately purchased a farm in Saginaw county. As the train pulled out from Ashtabula the farmer's wife began eating luncheon, and her

the light of the dim lamp.

He says he felt the first movement when the bridge gave way. He first imagined that one of the wheels under his car had become detached, as a corner of the car seemed to settle down a little. He dropped the paper and seized the back of the seat in front of him. Then the whole car seemed to lift up, and several women shrieked in alarm. There was no sensation of falling. On the contrary, both agree that they thought the car was running up a steep This would prove that the rear end onds could have elapsed, and yet during that brief interval the husband threw one her to secure a brace for her feet, and added, "We are off the track and running through the fields!" The rear end of their car struck first, smashing itself to kindlingwood, the debris being thrown over the passengers in front. The farmer found himself on the floor, held down by a mass of wreck on his left leg, while his wife was thrown across him, the wreck of two or

three seats holding her against the side of the car. While thus held, and before either had spoken, one end of the car settled a little and the wife was released. "Mary, are you living?" asked the husband, being his first words after the fall. She replied that she was not even hurt, beyond a bruise or two, and by this time the shouting and confusion around them proved that the train was off the track, though pend all the money appropriated in the train was off the track, though neither one suspected that it was more than a tumble into a wayside ditch. It was wona tumble into a wayside ditch. It was wonmoney should be expended on work not derful how a woman could retain her presence of mind under such exciting circumstances, but Mrs. Orburn didn't even cry out after the shock. Scores of other pasas the cold waters flooded one end of the

The woman cleared herself of the broken

seats just as the fire started, and she then

ascertained that her husband was pinned

fast to the floor by the wreck of matter on

his leg, which was partially bent around one of the iron standards of a seat. She worked with all her might to set him free, but the raging flames were now only a few becoming terrible. "Mary, take hold of my foot, bend my whose knowledge of this subject is more leg toward you with all your might, and extended than that of any other officer of see if you can't break it!" called the husband, who thought he could easily free himself if the leg was released from its cramped position. The wife seized his foot. meaning to obey, but at that moment the

car lurched over a little, and the husband

her dress was on fire, showing that another

minute would have enveloped both in the

other.

Both were able to walk to the hotel as soon as released, having escaped with only on the works absolutely necessary, and a few bruises. The heroic wife and mother therefore the Chief of Engineers, after an was not only ready to obey her husband's was not only ready to obey her husband's "When I saw the flames just upon us," amount to \$2,237,600. Since that date a few she said, "and while I was sure that my cases where small sums were urgently re- husband would be burned alive, I made up quired to prevent damage or to make im- my mind to put one of the cushions over portant examinations have been favorably him, lie down on top of that, and hope that,

"I was afraid she wouldn't be strong

was free to get it and use it!"

DUELS IN MASSACHUSETTS .- The Boston Transcript says: "A duel on the Puritan soil of Massachusetts Bay would not be an entirely unheard-of thing. In fact, the first